

Notice of Allowability

Application No.

09/771,265

Examiner

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Applicant(s)

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All claims being allowable, PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS (OR REMAINS) CLOSED in this application. If not included herewith (or previously mailed), a Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85) or other appropriate communication will be mailed in due course. **THIS NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RIGHTS.** This application is subject to withdrawal from issue at the initiative of the Office or upon petition by the applicant. See 37 CFR 1.313 and MPEP 1308.

1. ☒ This communication is responsive to amendment filed 09/21/06.
2. ☒ The allowed claim(s) is/are 1-20.
3. ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
 - a) ☐ All b) ☐ Some* c) ☐ None of the:
 1. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
 2. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. _____.
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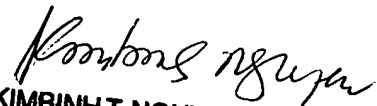
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4. ☐ A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submitted. Note the attached EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which gives reason(s) why the oath or declaration is deficient.
 5. ☐ CORRECTED DRAWINGS (as "replacement sheets") must be submitted.
 - (a) ☐ including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) attached
 - 1) ☐ hereto or 2) ☐ to Paper No./Mail Date _____.
 - (b) ☐ including changes required by the attached Examiner's Amendment / Comment or in the Office action of Paper No./Mail Date _____.
- Identifying indicia such as the application number (see 37 CFR 1.84(c)) should be written on the drawings in the front (not the back) of each sheet. Replacement sheet(s) should be labeled as such in the header according to 37 CFR 1.121(d).
6. ☐ DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.

Attachment(s)

1. ☐ Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
2. ☐ Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
3. ☐ Information Disclosure Statements (PTO/SB/08),
Paper No./Mail Date _____
4. ☐ Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit
of Biological Material
5. ☐ Notice of Informal Patent Application
6. ☐ Interview Summary (PTO-413),
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7. ☒ Examiner's Amendment/Comment
8. ☒ Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance
9. ☐ Other _____


KIMBINH T. NGUYEN
PRIMARY EXAMINER

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Reena Kuyper on 11/17/06.

The application has been amended as follows:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended) A method of adapting content for transmission to a palmtop or (like) portable computer, comprising:

receiving an identifier from the palmtop computer at a data center(,);

accessing a table of data in conjunction with said identifier from the palmtop computer to select a profile for downloading information to the palmtop computer, said table of data comprising parameters characteristic of capabilities of said palmtop computer including resolution and color characteristics of a display of the palmtop computer; and

adapting web content created through web clipping to be transmitted to the palmtop computer based upon the profile from said table of data.

Claim 15 (Currently Amended) A method of adapting content for transmission to a palmtop or (like) portable computer, comprising:

receiving an identifier from the palmtop computer, the identifier comprising a serial number and a request header transmitted from the palmtop computer;

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accessing a table of data in conjunction with said identifier, said table of data comprising:

a processing power for a processor residing within the palmtop computer by reference to the identifier;

a display resolution parameter and a display color handling ability for a display of the palmtop computer by reference to the identifier;

a display parameter for a display of the palmtop computer by reference to the identifier;

an amount of memory available to the palmtop computer by reference to the identifier;

a data transmission format; and

a transmission speed for transmission to the palmtop computer;

selecting a profile for downloading information to the palmtop computer from said table of data in conjunction with said identifier, said profile adapted to minimize transmission of said information to the palmtop computer based on the characteristic parameters of the palmtop computer; and

adapting web content created through web clipping to be transmitted to the palmtop computer based upon the profile from said table of data.

Claim 20 (Currently Amended) A computer storage medium storing instructions which, when executed on a programmed processor, carry out a process of adapting content for transmission to a palmtop or (like) portable computer, comprising:

receiving an identifier from the palmtop computer;

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accessing a table of data in conjunction with said identifier from the palmtop computer to select a profile for downloading information to the palmtop computer, said table of data comprising parameters characteristic of capabilities of said palmtop computer including resolution and color characteristics of a display of the palmtop computer; and

adapting web content created through web clipping to be transmitted to the palmtop computer based upon the profile from said table of data.

1. This action is responsive to amendment filed 09/21/06.
2. Claims 1-20 are allowed.

Allowable Subject Matter

3. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance:

The prior art does not teach a method of adapting content for transmission to a palmtop or (like) portable computer, comprising: receiving an identifier from the palmtop computer, the identifier comprising a serial number and a request header transmitted from the palmtop computer; accessing a table of data in conjunction with said identifier, said table of data comprising: a processor residing within the palmtop computer by reference to the identifier; a display resolution parameter and a display color handling ability for a display of the palmtop computer by reference to the identifier; a display parameter for a display of the palmtop computer by reference to the identifier; an amount of memory available to the palmtop computer by reference to the identifier; selecting a profile for downloading information to the palmtop computer from said table of data in conjunction with said identifier, said profile adapted to minimize transmission

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of said information to the palmtop computer based on the characteristic parameters of the palmtop computer; and adapting web content created through web clipping to be transmitted to the palmtop computer based upon the profile from said table of data.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

4. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Kimbinh T. Nguyen whose telephone number is (571) 272-7644. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday to Thursday from 7:00 AM to 4:30 PM. The examiner can also be reached on alternate Friday from 7:00 AM to 3:30 PM.

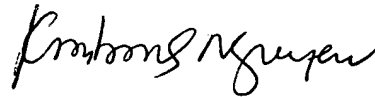
If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Michael Razavi can be reached at (571) 272-7664. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is (571) 273-8300.

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kim Binh T. Nguyen". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Kim" and last name "Nguyen" being more prominent.

KIM BINH T. NGUYEN
PRIMARY EXAMINER